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Structure and Fabrication of Flat-Panel Display Having Spacer with

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## **STATUS INQUIRY**

Sir:

Please inform Applicants' Attorney of the status of the above patent application.

The latest PTO action in this application is a communication mailed 16 April 2004 by the PTO. The 16 April 2004 communication specified that that Paper "filed" 27 October 2003, i.e., the Response submitted 24 October 2003 to the Notice of Omitted Item(s) in Nonprovisional Application, had been treated as a petition and that the petition had been dismissed. Inasmuch as the latest PTO action on this application occurred approximately 18 months ago, when does the PTO expect to issue the next action on this application?

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